**Little Bulldozer PM Readers L8 -Comprehension Questions**

**Literal:**

1. What did Little Bulldozer say to the Fire Engine? (Show me in the text…)
2. What reason did the Fire Engine give for Little Bulldozer not helping him? (Show me in the text…)
3. When the Big Truck and the Fire Engine said that Little Bulldozer was too little to help, what did Little Bulldozer do? (Show me in the text…)
4. When Little Bulldozer told Big Bulldozer that he was too little to help, what did Big Bulldozer say? (Show me in the text…)

**Inferential: Explain your answer…**

1. How do you think Little Bulldozer felt when Fire Engine said he was too little to help?
2. Could Little Bulldozer have helped Big Truck make the road?
3. Why do you think Little Bulldozer said he was too little to help Big Bulldozer?
4. Why do you think Little Bulldozer said, “I’m not too little, am I?”

**Interpretive: Author / Illustrator Questions:**

1. How does the illustrator (the person who drew the pictures) show us that Fire Engine was in a hurry?
2. When the illustrator drew the Big Truck next to Little Bulldozer she used the size of the truck against the size of the bulldozer as an important part of the drawing. Explain how the different sizes in the book help us to understand the story.
3. Explain why the author has bolded the word “not” on the last page.
4. Why does the author have Little Bulldozer ask a question and then answer it himself on the last page: “I’m not too little, am I?....I’m **not** too little to help.”

**Critical / Evaluative: Explain your answer…**

1. Are there times when someone is too little to help someone who is bigger?
2. Explain why people might feel upset when they aren’t allowed to help someone.
3. Describe a time when you haven’t been allowed to help someone.
4. Explain why when people are busy they might not want help.